IN THE SPECIFICATION:

In the preliminary amendment submitted in this application, the last complete paragraph (last 9 lines) of Page 1 was replaced. Please substitute that paragraph with the further updated paragraph below.

-- This application is a continuation of United States Patent Application serial no. 09/008,710 entitled "SYSTEM FOR DIGITAL RADIO COMMUNICATION BETWEEN A WIRELESS LAN AND A PBX" filed on January 16, 1998, now U.S. Patent No. 6,330,244, which is a continuation-in-part of United States Patent Application serial no. 08/866,690 entitled "PORTABLE SHOPPING AND ORDER FULFILLMENT SYSTEM" filed on May 30, 1997, now abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of United States Patent Application serial no. 08/780,023 entitled "INTRANET SCANNING TERMINAL SYSTEM" filed on December 20, 1996, now U.S. Patent No. 6,084,528, which is a continuation-in-part of United States Patent Application serial no. 08/706,579 entitled "DEVICE AND METHOD FOR SECURE DATA UPDATES IN A SELF-CHECKOUT SYSTEM" filed on September 5, 1996, now U.S. Patent No. 5,825,002, all of which are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.--

CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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